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In re Patent Application of:  
Allen McTeer

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For: A MULTI-LAYERED COPPER BOND PAD  
FOR AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT

Examiner: E. Lee

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated November 3, 2006, finally rejecting claims 74-80, 82 and 83, please reconsider the above-identified U.S. patent application in light of the following remarks.